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SUBJECT: JOINT JORDANIAN/EGYPTIAN COMMUNIQUE

1. FOLLOWING KING HUSAIN'S DEPARTURE FROM ALEXANDRIA APRIL 6,
SHORT JOINT COMMUNIQUE WAS ISSUED.

2. SUBSTANTIVE SECTIONS OF COMMUNIQUE DEALT WITH ARAB SITUATION
ONLY. "TALKS DEALT WITH FULL AND DETAILED REVIEW OF ARAB
SITUATION AND LATEST DEVELOPMENTS...AND BILATERAL RELATIONS..."
COMMUNIQUE STOPPED SHORT OF EXPECTED GOJ DECLARATION OF
RECOGNITION PLO AS SOLE REPRESENTATIVE OF PALESTINIAN PEOPLE:
"TALKS COVERED LEGITIMATE RIGHTS OF PALESTINIAN PEOPLE AND
THEIR RIGHT TO SELF-DETERMINATION, THEIR RIGHT TO DEFEND THEIR
CAUSE IN ALL INTERNATIONAL FORUMS AND TO PARTICIPATE
INDEPENDENTLY IN GENEVA CONFERENCE."

3. AHRAH REPORT FROM ALEXANDRIA APRIL 7 CITES WELL-INFORMED
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SOURCES AS SAYING HUSAIN IS EXPECTED TO VIST A NUMBER OF

ARAB CAPITALS,INCLUDING RIYADH AND DAMASCUS, AFTER WHICH
GOJ WILL ISSUE COMMUNIQUE ANNOUNCING RECOGNITION OF PLO AS
SOLE PALESTINIAN REPRESENTATIVE.

4. AHRAM APRIL 8 HAS SHORT ITEM SAYING CAIRO WILL INFORM
ARAFAT OF RESULTS OF PRESIDENT SADAT'S DISCUSSIONS WITH
HUSAIN IN ALEXANDRIA.

5. COMMENT: WE NOTE THAT EGYPTIAN SIDE IN GOJ-GOE
DISCUSSIONS INCLUDED NO FOREIGN MINISTRY OFFICIAL EXCEPT
EGYPTIAN AMBASSADOR IN AMMAN. EGYPTIAN RANKING AFTER SADAT
WAS DEPPM AND MININT MAMDUH SALIM, WHO HAS BEEN MUCH IN
PUBLIC EYE RECENTLY.
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